

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the first two paragraphs on page 3 with the following four new paragraphs:

Fig. 1A is a block diagram of a first embodiment of a radio frequency identification (RFID) system;

Fig. 1B is an example map of a transaction establishment incorporating the system of Fig. 1A;

FIG. 2A is a block diagram of a second embodiment of the an RFID system; and

FIG. 2B is an example map of a transaction establishment incorporating the system of Fig. 2A; and

Please replace the fourth paragraph on page 3 with the following:

Referring now to the drawing Figs. 1A and 1B, transaction system 10 primarily includes server 12, transmitters 14, receivers 16, and radio frequency identification (RFID) tags 18.

Please replace the fifth paragraph on page 4 with the following:

Referring now to Fig. 2 Figs. 2A and 2B, a second embodiment is similar to the first embodiment in Fig. 1A, except that receivers 16 are located within electronic shelf labels (ESLs) 36.

Please replace the first paragraph on page 5 with the following:

Fig. 3 is a flow diagram illustrating a method of capturing information from RFID tags 18 in a system 10 of Fig. 2 Figs. 2A and 2B beginning with Start 50.